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ROSES

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SOUTHPORT (McGredy 1934)

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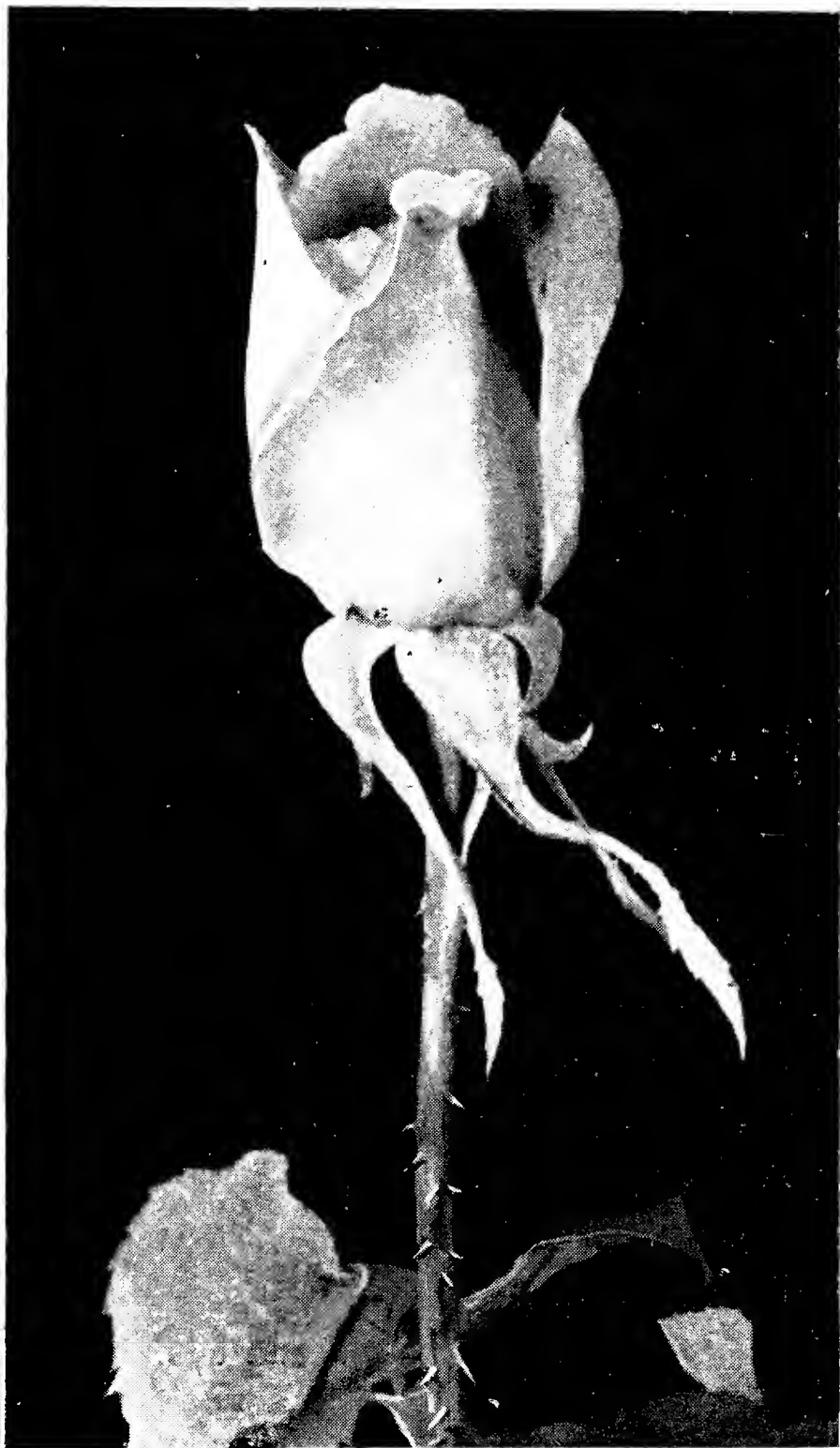
After another year's trial, this rose has again proven to be the best of the brilliant red roses. It is a very vivid scarlet with a delightful sheen which is maintained until the petals drop. The buds are long, pointed and open to a full, cupped fragrant flower. Another feature of this rose is its exceptionally prolific blooming habit. The bush is a strong grower with reddish green foliage. As for disease, like most roses it does mildew some in unfavorable locations. One of the finest roses of recent years.

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SOUTHPORT

We Call It a Rose

Francis G. Wheaton

God took the brightness of the dawn,
And the gleam of a moonbeam's ray;
With the magic touch of a fairy's wing
He fashioned a flower one day.
Because rosy tints of morning light,
And the sunset glow of its close,
In the petals were softly blended,
We call ita rose.

God loved the world—so He gave it a rose,
That a symbol of love it might be,
Reflecting the beauty of Heaven
For the joy of humanity.
And its perfume, like exquisite music
Is wafted on breezes today,
For we crown it Queen of the flowers
And our hearts, forever and aye.

ROSES

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It is my intention in this little book to give as accurate a description of the roses as it is possible to give, avoiding the use of flowery phrases or any other method of inducing the public to buy something it may later be disappointed with. All, but a very few varieties offered, have been tried in various localities, so a fairly accurate knowledge is had of those that will prove satisfactory in various localities. It must be remembered that an accurate description of a rose in one locality often is not correct in another as it will vary in color and growth according to soil and climate.

Roses, like most plants, have their faults. Some will mildew under adverse climatic conditions, but by proper care and precaution in selecting varieties that are adapted to one's locality, this fault can be materially overcome. If in doubt as to varieties best adapted to your locality, I shall be very glad to assist you in your selection.

The stock offered this season is exceptionally strong and healthy. All plants are guaranteed to be true to name and to reach the purchaser in good condition. Should any be found otherwise, they will be replaced or purchase price refunded.

The prices quoted are for strictly number one, two-year-old, field grown stock. A No. 1½ grade sells for 20% less than a No. 1. Small inferior stock, I do not sell.

Discounts: When purchasing in lots of 10 to 25, deduct 10%; 26 or over deduct 20%.

Packing and Mailing: There will be no packing or mailing charge on orders of one dollar or more in California. On orders less than a dollar add 25c. On orders outside the state, add 10% to cover packing and parcel post.

California Sales Tax: Please add 3% to purchase price. This does not apply to purchasers outside the state.

Novelties

ALEZANE (Pahissa 1934)

\$1.50

Bud urn shaped, large reddish brown; flowers cupped opening to sorrel, unfurling from sorrel to rich apricot and reverse of petals sorrel striped with yellow veins. Growth very vigorous, upright branching dark green foliage. (Description of introducer.) Plant Patent No. 116.

AMBASSADOR (Premier Rose Co. 1930) \$.75

A sport of Talisman that is a great favorite. A bud with the same form as Talisman but having a uniform bronzy-salmon color. Foliage and type of growth same as Talisman. A profuse bloomer and fragrant. Excellent as a cut flower. Plant Patent No. 11.

AMELIA EARHART (Raymond 1933)

\$1.50

A very large, extremely double flower of light yellow shading to cream. An exceptionally prolific grower with large dark green leathery foliage, which is disease resistant. Stems are long and strong. A fine cut flower. Not good in a damp climate.

COUNTESS OF SASTAGO (P. Dot. 1932) \$.75

A Spanish novelty carrying the vivid colors of the brilliant species rose, Austrian Copper. The flower is a deep reddish copper on the inside of the petals with a reverse of deep yellow; moderately large, double, fragrant rose and borne on long strong stems. The bush is an exceptionally strong upright grower with an abundance of thick, leathery, glossy foliage that is exceptionally free of disease. One of our very best roses.



Roses are like children; they have ravenous appetites. They should be fed and given drink at regular intervals. Mulch the ground in early March with three inches of fresh cow manure. Apply a half cup of balanced commercial fertilizer three or four times during the growing season. Keep the soil moist, watering thoroughly from one to three weeks depending on the soil.

CATALONIA (Pedro Dot) \$1.00

Those who enjoy a splash of Spanish colors will find all they are looking for in Catalonia. The bud is large, ovoid, opening to a very double flower of bright scarlet shaded orange. The plant is a vigorous bushy grower and prolific bloomer. Excellent as a vivid bedding rose.

COUNTESS VANDAL (Leenders 1932) \$1.00

Excellent as an exhibition rose. This rose has won many prizes in the past two years. The long, slender, pointed buds are a silvery pink shaded with coppery-salmon and yellow at the base of the petals. The bush is a moderate, upright grower with light green foliage which is subject to mildew in some locations. Plant patent No. 138.

DUCHESS OF PENERANDA (P. Dot 1931) \$1.00

Without a doubt, one of the finest roses in commerce today. Duchess of Peneranda offers two distinct shades to its admirers. In the spring and summer the large pointed buds open to a large, double flower of coppery apricot and sometimes showing a dark pink cast. In the fall, the color is deeper and shows more of the bronzy shades. Regardless of when you see it, the bloom is exquisite and fades but little. Quite fragrant. Not alone is the flower beautiful, as the foliage is just as lovely and very free of disease. The bush is a very strong, upright grower and a prolific bloomer. Excellent in all localities.

GYPSY LASS (Dickson & Sons 1932) \$1.00

The ovoid bud of this rose opens to a very double, globular, fragrant flower of rich scarlet crimson with blackish shadings. The stems are long and willowy. The bush is a vigorous bushy grower with good foliage. A continuous bloomer with very lasting color qualities.

HINRICH GAEDE (Kordes 1932) \$1.00

Another grand and glorious new rose. Hinrich Gaede is among the finest of the new roses with most striking colors. The bud is a clear nasturtium red opening to a large very double flower of orange red. A most prolific bloomer; bush is a vigorous grower with glossy bronzy green foliage.



Roses do not need summer pruning other than to cut out the dead wood; cutting the blooms is sufficient.

MARY HART (Hart 1932)

\$1.00

A red sport of Talisman. Bush, foliage and habits same as Talisman. Bud is a maroon red opening to a well formed flower of blood red, shaded amber. Best in spring and fall as it fades in the hot sun. A prolific bloomer and excellent as a cut flower. Plant patent No. 8.

MAX KRAUSE (Krause 1930)

\$.75

We are just as enthusiastic over this rose as last year. The rose is large and very double with unusual lasting qualities. The bud is a reddish-orange and opens to a golden yellow. Moderately fragrant. The bush is a vigorous grower with exceptionally fine foliage.

MATADOR (Van Rossem 1935)

\$1.50

This rose shows up very well in the field. It is a large full rose, well formed, scarlet crimson with darker silky sheen on the reverse, very perfumed, vigorous, healthy plant. (Description of the introducer. Patent applied for.)

McGREDY'S TRIUMPH (McGredy 1935) \$2.00

This rose is really a Triumph; a real rose and by far the best McGredy rose to be introduced this year. The large, ovoid pointed bud is cerise overshadowed with orange, opening to a large cupped flower of brilliant deep pink. Fragrant. The bush is a vigorous grower with handsome bronze to deep green foliage. Patent applied for.

MME. COCHET-COCHET

(C. Mallerin 1934)

\$1.50

This lovely new rose from France is named in honor of the famous Cochet family. The long pointed buds are coppery pink flushed with orange open to a large flower of the same color. Although the flower has only about twenty petals, it is very attractive in the open stage. Moderately fragrant. Plants are tall with good foliage. This rose is claimed to be an exceptionally free bloomer, although in the one year we have had it, it has been only a moderate bloomer. Supply limited. Plant patent No. 129.

SOUVENIR De Mme. C. CHAMBARD
(C. Chambard 1931)

\$1.00

After observing this rose we can readily understand why it was judged the finest rose of France. A long pointed bud opening to a high centered, beautifully formed flower of coral pink with a satiny sheen. The flower is usually borne singly on a very strong stem on which the foliage extends to within an inch of the rose. As fine a cut flower as Dame Edith Helen. Bush is a moderate grower; fragrant.

VICTORIA HARRINGTON (1935)

\$1.00

One of the finest reds. A velvety, nonfading very dark red, with a bud that is still darker. The golden sheen from the center of the flower increases as it opens. Petals still red when they drop. Bush strong and vigorous with clean foliage; a prolific bloomer. Description of introducer.

VIKTORIA ADELHEID (Kordes 1932)

\$1.00

Another rose of brilliant color combinations. The petals are a deep golden yellow with nasturtium red suffusion. Buds are ovoid, borne on strong stems. Bush a dwarf grower, two feet, with bronzy green foliage.

WILLIAM MOORE (McGredy 1935)

\$2.00

The color is a beautiful soft even toned carmine pink, shading to a deeper pink as the blooms age. The blooms are very large, full, of perfect form with high pointed center, and sweetly scented. Growth is vigorous, free, and upright; foliage light green and free of mildew. A fine exhibition flower. Description that of the introducer. Patent applied for.



Roses for exhibition purposes should be disbudded. To do this hold the center bud with one hand and with the other hand pull the side buds sideway and downward.

General List of Choice Roses

AMAMI \$.50

A very large semi-double flower of soft peach pink, most attractive when used in a low bowl. A vigorous growing plant with very few thorns. Stems are long with light green foliage.

AMI QUINARD \$.60

One of our darkest red roses. Buds are almost black, opening to a semi-double flower of velvety crimson maroon with a soft black lustre. A prolific bloomer and fragrant. Bush is a strong upright grower with thick leathery foliage.

ANGELE PERNET \$.50

This rose is still the best of its type and color. A beautiful orange yellow shaded deep reddish-apricot. The flower has a fine form, semi-double and is borne on strong stiff stems. A fine cut flower and fragrant. Bush is a moderate grower with clean glossy foliage that is very free of disease. Will not stand heavy pruning.

AUTUMN (Coddington 1928) \$.50

Very popular again this year. An unusual combination of deep burnt orange and pink streaked with red. Moderately fragrant and very lasting. The bush is a strong upright grower with an abundance of thick glossy foliage. Mildews in some locations.

CATHRINE KORDES (Kordes 1930) \$.75

One of the most perfectly formed roses we have. The flowers are large, double, and a carmine-scarlet. Moderately fragrant. A good cut flower; prolific bloomer. Plants are strong and vigorous with reddish green foliage. Subject to mildew in unfavorable locations.

CECIL \$.50

The best single yellow. Flowers quite large and a clear buttercup yellow. Produced in clusters. Bush is a strong spreading grower with large glossy foliage.

CHAS. P. KILHAM (Beckwish 1926) \$.50

A most perfectly formed long pointed bud of rich oriental red suffused with red and orange, and opening to a double, high centered flower of the same shade. A vigorous spreading grower with excellent foliage.

CUBA

\$.50

A vigorous growing upright bush producing a profusion of brilliant orange scarlet semi-double flowers. Excellent as a garden rose but not good as a cut flower.

DAINTY BESS

\$.50

Considered by many to be the best single rose. A medium size flower with crinkled and wavy petals of a soft rose pink. The bright crimson stamens make a very pleasing contrast. A good cut flower if cut in bud. A vigorous upright grower and prolific bloomer.

DAME EDITH HELEN

\$.50

One of the most fragrant roses produced in recent years as well as one of the best cut flowers. A large, very double rose of glowing pink. A moderate growing bush, rather shy on bloom.

DAZLA (Cant. 1930)

\$.50

And what a dazzling color this is! A large semi-double rose with waved petals of brilliant orange scarlet with a golden base. The open flowers are from 4 to 5 inches across. A vigorous spreading grower giving bloom throughout the season. Recommended to give color in the garden.

DIANE De BROGLIE (C. Chambard 1929) \$.50

One of our most beautiful roses but almost unknown. A medium size, pointed bud opening to a double, moderately fragrant flower of a beautiful shade of coral apricot with no other shadings. A vigorous upright grower with large glossy disease resistant foliage.

DIREKTOR RUBIO (P. Dot 1928)

\$.50

A large, long pointed bud opening to an exceptionally large semi-double flower of magenta red, borne singly on strong stiff stems. A vigorous, upright grower and abundant bloomer.

EDITH KRAUSE

Large white blooms borne singly on long strong stems. Foliage small. Plant a strong grower but not compact.

E. G. HILL (Hill 1929)

\$.50

A very large rose of dazzling scarlet shading to a deeper red. Very double and exceedingly fragrant. Excellent as a cut flower. A moderate grower and free bloomer. One of the best reds.

ETOILE De HOLLAND

\$.50

By far the best of the better known red roses. A beautiful dark velvety red that does not blue. Very fragrant and excellent as a cut flower. Growth sometimes rather slow the first year, after that a vigorous grower with an abundance of disease resistant foliage. A prolific bloomer.

FEDERICO CASAS (Pedro Dot 1931)

\$.75

Another of Pedro Dot's roses carrying the brilliant flashy colors of Spain. The beautiful reddish-orange buds open to a semi-double flower of coppery pink with considerable yellow in the center. A tall strong grower with excellent foliage. Fine as a cut flower; fragrant. Excellent in all sections.

FEU JOSEPH LOOYMANS

\$.50

Another fine rose that everyone should have. A long pointed bud that opens to a beautiful flower of orange apricot. The plant is a vigorous bushy grower with glossy, disease resistant foliage. A prolific bloomer.

FLAMINGO (A. Dickson 1929)

\$.50

A beautiful rose when grown in the right location. Bud is long and pointed and opens to a large, attractive flower of geranium red passing to rose cerise. A moderate grower and bloomer. Sunburns in a hot location. Recommended only for cool locations.

FLOREX

\$.50

This bright coral salmon is one of our best garden varieties. It has a long pointed bud with thick leathery petals. An excellent cut flower and fragrant. Bush is a tall upright grower with large firm leaves that are disease resistant. A free bloomer.

GAIETY (Hill 1929)

\$.50

The same parentage as Talisman although quite different. It is a medium size cupped shaded flower of orange, Indian red and silver. A vigorous bushy grower with light green, glossy foliage.

GOLDEN DAWN (Grant 1929) \$.50

An Australian rose that has proven a success in this country. A sweetly scented, very double flower of rich sunflower yellow passing to lemon yellow with age. The bush is a very vigorous, bushy grower with an abundance of large, clean, disease resistant foliage. Fine as a cut flower.

GOLDEN EMBLEM \$.50

The best yellow rose in most sections of California. Rich golden yellow, heavily splashed with red. Splendid thick glossy foliage. A strong grower but will not stand heavy pruning. An excellent exhibition rose but subject to die-back.

GROOTENDORST (Pink) \$.50

A rugosa rose used for hedges or as a shrub. A strong growing bush with thick crinkly foliage that does not mildew. The flower resembles a carnation in form but smaller. Color a bright pink. May be pruned in formal shape.

GRUSS AN COBURG (Felburg 1927) \$.50

A very attractive medium size flower of apricot yellow and extremely fragrant. It is a vigorous upright grower with disease resistant foliage. Does well in a shady location.

HADLEY \$.50

An old favorite dark red rose that is extremely fragrant in the spring. Mildews in summer and blues in hot sun.

HEINRICH WENDLAND \$.60

A German rose that adds a splash of color to the garden. The large ovoid buds open to a large, very double flower of Nasturtium red, reverse golden yellow. The color is rather variable, sometimes it comes quite pale. The bush is a very strong grower with wonderful large, glossy dark reddish green foliage. Exceptionally prolific bloomer.

HOOSIER BEAUTY \$.50

Dark velvety red and very fragrant. A fine cut flower. A moderate growing bush and free bloomer. One of the best.

IMPRESS (A. Dickson 1929) \$.50

A large camellia shaped flower of rosy red with orange suffusion. While not an especially vigorous grower, the growth is short and robust, producing a profusion of bloom. This rose seems to be best in early spring and late fall.

INNOCENCE

Large semi-single white with golden yellow stamens. Bush a moderate grower with dark green, disease resistant foliage. The best white of its type.

IRISH FIREFLAME

\$.50

Orange shaded red. A vigorous grower and continuous bloomer. Mildews.

ISOBEL

\$.50

A strong growing bush bearing a profusion of long pointed buds that open to large flowers of carmine red shaded yellow. Considered one of the best of the singles.

I. ZINGARI

\$.50

A semi-single medium sized flower of blazing orange-scarlet borne several together on medium size stem. Very good to give color in the garden. A strong spreading grower and prolific bloomer. Prefers cool climate.

JOANNA HILL (Hill 1928)

\$.50

A fine yellow rose with a perfect form. The outer petals are a clear sulphur yellow and the inner a deeper tone. A vigorous upright grower. A fine cut flower and fragrant.

J. OTTO THILOW

\$.50

This is one of the finest, most perfectly formed pink roses. The flower is large, double, high centered and of a glowing rose pink. A constant bloomer. Growth is vigorous and with an abundance of thick leathery foliage. An exhibition rose.

LADY FORTEVIOT

\$.50

A rose similar in form to Angele Pernet. It is a golden yellow changing to deep apricot and having a very pleasing fragrance. A vigorous, bushy grower with glossy, bronzy-green foliage and a continuous bloomer. Excellent in nearly all sections.

LADY MARGARET STEWART

\$.50

A gorgeously colored bud of orange shaded yellow; open flower a deep buttercup yellow flushed with orange and red. A strong upright growing bush with dark green leathery foliage. Satisfactory only in summer and fall.

LADY MARY ELIZABETH (Dickson 1927)

\$.50

This is a fine rose for coastal regions. The long pointer buds open to a large, double flower of brilliant carmine pink. Fragrant. Bush is a vigorous upright grower with dark green foliage.

LOS ANGELES

\$.50

Flame pink toned with coral and gold. Strong grower and prolific bloomer. Subject to mildew.

LOUISE C. BRESLAU**\$.50**

One of our finest roses. A large, very double rose of coral red shaded apricot, borne on strong stiff stems. Heavy leathery, glossy foliage. A fine cut flower and moderately fragrant.

LULU**\$.50**

A most beautiful long slender dainty bud of coral apricot. Only desirable in bud form. Semi-single. Bush a moderate bushy grower and free bloomer.

MARGARET McGREDY**\$.50**

A fine rose for a cool climate. A brilliant orange scarlet rose with heavy petals. A vigorous bushy grower with an abundance of foliage, a prolific bloomer.

MARI DOT (P. Pot 1927)**\$.60**

Another rose of Spanish origin that is very distinctive and becoming more popular each succeeding year. It has a color unlike that found in any other rose, a beautiful clear shade of reddish salmon yellow with a satiny sheen. As the flower opens the color passes to clear bright salmon and salmon pink with gold at the base of the petals. Moderately fragrant. The bush is a strong spreading grower with healthy, glossy foliage. A prolific bloomer.

McGREDY'S IVORY (McGredy 1929)**\$.75**

Probably the best white rose. The buds are long and pointed, opening to a perfectly formed flower of creamy white with a light yellow at the base of petals. The bush is a strong grower with excellent foliage. A prolific bloomer. Excellent as a cut flower and for exhibition.

MOSS ROSE * GOLDEN (P. Dot 1932)**\$.75**

This is the first yellow moss rose to be produced. This past season the blooms were a creamy white rather than yellow. An exceptionally strong grower. Like all moss roses, this one is subject to mildew. Fragrant.

MOSS ROSE (Pink)**\$.50**

This is a very good clear pink with calyx heavily mossed. A strong grower.

MOSS ROSE (Cerise)**\$.50**

A rose neither pink nor red—nearer cerise. Growth and habits same as other moss roses.

MRS. E. P. THOM**\$.50**

Probably the best clear yellow rose for most sections of the west. A medium size, moderately fragrant rose of deep canary yellow with no other shadings. A strong bushy grower with glossy foliage. An exceedingly prolific bloomer.

MRS. G. A. VAN ROSSEM

(Van Rossem 1926) \$.50

The large ovoid bud opens to a very double, fragrant flower of heavily flamed and shaded orange and apricot on a yellow background. The reverse side of the petal is often a dark bronze. The plant is a vigorous grower with beautiful dark leathery foliage that is disease resistant. A prolific bloomer and a fine cut flower. Although good in all locations, it is particularly fine in a cool or foggy location.

MRS. PIERRE S. Du PONT (Mallerin, 1929) \$.60

For color and form, this rose is among the best. It won the Bagatelle prize in Paris for the best yellow rose. The bud is of medium size, pointed, and of a beautiful reddish gold opening to semi-double, very fragrant flower of deep golden yellow. A strong growing plant with an abundance of disease resistant foliage. The most prolific bloomer of all the yellow roses. Highly recommended.

MRS. SAM McGREDY (McGredy 1929) \$.60

This rose is probably the best of the roses that this famous hybridizer has produced, and one of the best garden roses in commerce. It has a wonderful combination of colors, scarlet orange heavily flushed with Lincoln red on outside of petals. Buds are large and long pointed, flowers double, fragrant and very lasting. The bush is a strong grower with abundant glossy foliage; young foliage a dark reddish green. A prolific bloomer.



CHRISTMAS GIFTS

What could be more acceptable than gifts of
roses that will be a living joy for
years to come!
and

The lapel bud vase; a nickel plated little bud
vase for the gent's buttonhole.....75c

NIGHT (McGredy 1930) \$.60

A medium size flower of dark blackish crimson, almost black in the spring in a cool climate. A moderate grower and bloomer. Subject to mildew.

PADRE \$.50

Brilliant coppery scarlet flushed with yellow at base of petals. A strong upright grower. Excellent as a garden rose but not for cutting.

PORTADOWN FRAGRANCE

(McGredy 1931) \$.60

And what a fragrance! A very double flower of orange-salmon pink with a silver sheen. A low spreading bushy grower with thick bronzy foliage. A profuse bloomer. Winner of the Clay Cup for fragrance.

PRESIDENT HERBERT HOOVER

(Coddington 1930) \$.50

This rose continues to be very popular with many. It has a long pointed bud of orange scarlet opening to a very large flower of orange and pink. As the flower ages the bright colors fade to a creamy pink. The petals of this rose have such wonderful substance that it is an unusually fine cut flower. A very strong upright grower. Mildews slightly.

PRESIDENT JAC SMITS (Verschuren 1928) \$.50

A very fine semi-double flower of brilliant dark red with a velvety sheen, and having a delightful spicy fragrance. A vigorous bushy grower and prolific bloomer.

PRESIDENT PLUMCOCO (Gaujard 1931) \$.60

A medium size, ovoid bud opening to a large, double, cupped flower of soft coppery buff. Bush is a strong upright grower with healthy foliage. A profuse bloomer and fragrant. An excellent rose.

RAPTURE \$.50

The best of the Ophelia family. A long pointed bud of pink shaded apricot. A strong grower and fragrant.

RED HOOVER \$.60

This sport of Pres. Hoover is not really a red rose but the outside of the petals is a deep red while the inner side is just a deeper shade of orange. Growth is the same as its parent although the foliage is some better.

ROSLYN (Towill 1929) \$.50

In the bay section and along the coast, this yellow rose is outstanding. A full golden yellow bloom with deeper shadings in the center and orange splashings on back of petals. A strong upright grower with excellent foliage. A profuse bloomer.

SIR HENRY SEAGRAVE (Dickson 1932) \$.60

A large, high centered, beautifully formed, fragrant flower of primrose yellow, borne on long, strong stems. Bush is a strong upright bushy grower and a continuous bloomer. For those who like a light yellow, this rose is excellent.

SOEUR THERESE (Gillot 1930) \$.75

A French rose that is recommended for cool climate only. It has a long pointed bud of golden yellow often streaked with carmine, opening to a large semi-double flower. Foliage is medium size and leathery. A vigorous growing plant and free blooming.

SUSAN LOUISE (Adams 1929) \$.50

This lovely new rose has proven satisfactory wherever grown. A seedling of the Belle of Portugal, but a bush rose and a continuous prolific bloomer. Bud is long and slender and of a deeper shade of pink than its parent; stems are long and firm. Growth is extremely vigorous and practically thornless. No garden is complete without Susan Louise.

TALISMAN (Montgomery 1929) \$.50

The most popular rose in years and a rose that has come to stay. The color is a mixture of red, yellow and copper in varying proportions. The bud is long pointed and opens to a medium size flower of the same colors. Extremely fragrant. An excellent cut flower. Growth is vigorous and upright. Mildews slightly.

THE QUEEN ALEXANDRA \$.50

A startling combination of vermillion and orange with a reverse of old gold. Excellent as a garden rose as it is nearly always in bloom. Not good as a cut flower. A strong spreading grower but will not stand heavy pruning.

VESUVIUS \$.50

Dark velvety crimson with yellow stamens. Excellent in a cool climate. Very vigorous grower and a continuous bloomer. Fragrant.

VILLE De PARIS \$.50

An excellent flower in nearly all sections. A large double ovoid bud of sunflower yellow slightly tinted orange; deeper shade in the center and at the base of petals. A vigorous upright grower with glossy reddish green foliage that is very free of disease.

W. E CHAPLIN (Chaplin 1929) \$.50

A large, full, double, high centered flower of deep crimson deepening to carmine crimson. Moderately fragrant, stems long and firm, a good cut flower. Growth is vigorous and upright with large, disease resistant foliage.

Polyantha Roses

(Low Growing Baby Roses)

CECILE BRUNNER \$.50

The favorite baby rose. Buds small, beautifully formed. Flowers light pink with yellow at the base of petals. A continuous bloomer.

CHATILLON \$.50

Bright pink semi-double bloom with a touch of orange. Bloom comes in large trusses. Used for massing and borders.

CORAL CLUSTER \$.50

Small delicate coral pink flowers borne in large clusters. One of the best of the polyanthas. Prefers a cool location.

ELLEN POULSEN \$.50

A medium size flower of bright cherry pink borne in large clusters on strong stems. A strong grower for this type with glossy thick foliage. Excellent for borders. A continuous bloomer.

ELSE POULSEN \$.50

Quite different from the average polyantha. The medium size flowers borne in clusters are a clear rose pink. The bush is a strong upright grower, 2½ feet, with glossy disease resistant foliage.

MAGNIFIQUE \$.50

A strong growing polyantha with rich glossy green foliage. Flowers are semi-double and clear pink; are borne in large clusters. Long blooming period.

MRS. R. M. FINCH \$.75

One of the new polyanthas that is very fine in a cool climate. The handsome flowers, borne in large clusters, are from one to two inches across and of a bright pink fading to a light pink. A very vigorous spreading grower with thick, heavy foliage. Like most polyanthas it mildews in some localities; blooms throughout the season.

Climbing Roses

APELES MESTRES (Pedro Dot 1931) \$1.00

A climbing Hybrid Perpetual that grows to a height of about fifteen feet and produces very large double flowers of clear yellow that do not fade. Almost every rose is a perfect exhibition flower. This is what the introducers say of Apeles Mestres. It has, however, but one blooming period. Excellent foliage.

BILLY BOILER \$.50

A pillar rose; growth about eight to ten feet. Bud ovoid opening to a large double flower of deep velvety red. A good cut flower; excellent in all sections.

CLG. CECILE BRUNNER (Pink) \$.50

A very rampant grower. Flowers same as the bush.

CLG. CECILE BRUNNER (Yellow) \$.50

A very strong grower. Foliage is a light green and flowers a deep orange yellow.

COUNTESS OF STRADBROKE \$1.00

This new Australian rose appears to be one of the finest red climbers introduced in years. Observed over the entire Pacific Coast for the past two years, it has fulfilled all expectations. The new foliage is a reddish brown turning to dark green as it ages. Flowers are large, double, of good form and a dark velvety crimson; very fragrant.

CLG. DAINTY BESS

(California Roses Inc., 1935) \$1.00

The most popular of all single roses is now available as a climber. A strong, clean growing, ever blooming climber. The flowers are the same as on the bush. One of our best climbers.

CLG. DAME EDITH HELEN \$.50

Those who admire this lovely rose will find it more at home as a climber than as a bush. A strong grower producing a fair number of choice pink blooms. Flower same as the bush variety.

CLG. DUCHESS OF ATHOLL \$.75

Foliage and bloom identical to that of the bush variety. A strong grower.

CLG. ETOILE De HOLLAND \$.75

A climbing sport of our best red rose. Bloom and foliage same as the bush. One of the best red climbers if not the best.

GOLDEN CLIMBER (Brownell 1933) \$1.50

A new climber that is admired by many. A very hardy variety with dark green foliage and red thorns. The medium sized flowers are a golden yellow with red veinings. Plant patent No. 28.

CLG. GOLDEN EMBLEM \$.50

The same lovely flower and foliage as the bush type. A very strong grower, free bloomer in spring.

CLG. HADLEY \$.50

Same as the bush rose except in habit of growth. A fine, dark red rose in the spring. Subject to mildew in the summer.

CLG. HOOSIER BEAUTY \$.50

The same lovely rich velvety scarlet as the bush type. Very fragrant and blooms over a long period. One of our best red climbers.

CLG. IRISH FIREFLAME \$.50

A climbing sport of the popular bush variety. Flower and foliage same. A very strong grower.

KITTY KININMONTH \$.50

An Australian Climber, very little known, but one you should get acquainted with. Very large, ruffled semi-double blooms of brilliant fadeless pink. An exceptionally strong grower.

CLG. LOUISE C. BRESLAU \$.50

One of the finest climbers for the west. The blooms are even larger than the bush type. A strong grower with thick leathery, disease resistant foliage. A continuous bloomer.

MERMAID \$.75

One of the most popular climbers. Immense sulphur yellow single flowers with amber stamens. Buds come in huge clusters (often over 40) but it is seldom that over two or three in a cluster come out at once. Blooms throughout the season. Foliage is a deep shiny green; disease resistant. Does not require pruning. Excellent on walls or banks.

CLG. MME. BUTTERFLY \$.50

Same as the bush variety except that it is a strong climber. Salmon flesh with yellow at base of petals.

MME. STAECHELIN (Spanish Beauty) \$ 50

A beautiful rose from Spain with long crimson buds that open to large flowers of delicate pink with curled petals stained on the outside with crimson. A vigorous grower. Short blooming period, 6 weeks.

CLG. MRS. E. P. THOM

(Howard Rose Co. 1933)

\$.75

Climbing sport of the well known bush variety. Flowers medium size and deep canary yellow. Foliage same glossy green as the bush type.

CLG. MRS. HERBERT STEVENS

\$.50

A climbing sport of this beautiful white Tea rose. Probably the best white rose in commerce. Like all Tea roses, the stems are not strong. The quality of the flowers more than make up for the weakness of the stem.

PAUL'S LEMON PILLAR

\$.75

The rose lover should become better acquainted with this unusual rose. A medium grower producing a profusion of long pale yellow buds opening to large, full, very fragrant flowers of sulphur yellow and borne on long strong stems. A fine pillar rose. Foliage mildews slightly in unfavorable locations. A marvelous rose in a cool climate.

PAUL'S SCARLET

\$.50

A most spectacular rose in the spring. Entire bush is a mass of medium size intense, vivid scarlet blooms, often producing a scattering of bloom during the summer.

PHYLLIS BIDE

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An everblooming polyantha climber that does not mildew. The bloom, produced in clusters, is about the size of Cecile Brunner and a pale gold shading to carmine pink at edge of petals. A strong grower.

CLG. PRESIDENT HOOVER

\$.50

An extremely vigorous climbing sport of the popular bush type. Flowers and foliage same.

CLG. QUEEN ALEXANDRA

(Harkness and Son 1931)

\$.75

If you are looking for a climbing rose that gives a grand display of color and repeats several times, this is the rose. The first of the season the plant is a solid mass of bloom, after that the recurrent bloom is good but not as heavy. A strong grower. We recommend this climber highly.

REVEIL DIJONNAIS (E. M. Buatois, 1931) \$1.00

A most spectacular color in this beautiful climbing rose. Buds are a golden yellow striped carmine, opening to a semi-double flower five inches across of pleasing shade of red with a large golden yellow center. It usually blooms in clusters of from three to five. Foliage thick, glossy, bronze green. A vigorous climber with a heavy spring bloom, followed by a scattering bloom throughout the rest of the season.

CLG. RUTH

\$.75

A very strong climber with thick, glossy, light green disease resistant foliage. Buds are large, ovoid, opening to a very double, high centered flower of orange, flushed carmine, moderately fragrant. Color best in the Northwest and in the cooler sections of California.

SCORCHER

\$.50

A large semi-single flower having crinkled petals of a brilliant scarlet crimson. A moderate grower, best used as a pillar. Mildews in unfavorable locations.

CLG. SHOT SILK (Knight & Sons 1931)

\$.50

Another fine climber. A sport of the well known bush variety that is marvelous in the bay section. Flowers slightly larger than the bush type and of the same orange-rose color suffused with pink. Same glossy foliage as bush type.

SOUVENIR De CLAUDIUS DENOYEL

\$.50

This rose deserves a place with other good red climbing roses. A moderate climber with healthy disease resistant foliage and a large, double, fragrant, crimson red flower of fine form. Blooms throughout the season.

CLG. TALISMAN (Dixie Rose Co. 1932)

\$.50

Every rose lover knows the excellent qualities of Talisman. The climber is very vigorous and produces quantities of bloom larger and better than the bush type. You can't go wrong on this one.



When cutting roses, cut about one-fourth inch above an outside bud, leaving three or four buds of the new wood. Cut double roses when the outer petals begin to unfurl; singles when the sepals begin to open. Split or mash the ends of the stems and plunge into deep water. Leave in a cool place over night, but out of the wind.

Standard or Tree Roses

This season a choice selection of standard roses is offered to the rose lover. Most of the varieties are budded on I.X.L. stems at a height of forty inches. In several years of observation, I.X.L. has proven to produce more roses and over a longer period of time than any other stock.

Standard roses are very effective when planted along walks, driveways and to add height to the rose garden. The flowers produced on them are usually superior to those grown on low bushes. Some varieties of roses are better adapted to standards than others. With this in mind, the following varieties were budded for standards.

Prices: \$2.00 each; 5 or more, \$1.75, except where otherwise noted. This price does not include express charges.

AMI QUINARD—Crimson -maroon with black.

ANGELE PERNET—Orange-yellow shaded apricot.

AUTUMN—Orange, pink and red.

CATALONIA—Scarlet shaded orange.....**\$2.50**

DUCHESS OF ATHOLL—Copper-bronze.

DUCHESS OF PENERANDA—Coppery-apricot**\$2.50**

ETOILE DE HOLLAND—Dark Velvety red.

FEU JOSEPH LOOYMANS—Orange-apricot.

GOLDEN DAWN—Lemon-yellow.

HINRICH GAEDE—Orange-red\$2.50

I. ZINGARI—Orange-scarlet.

J. OTTO THILOW—Rose-pink.

LADY FORTEVIOT—Gold-yellow-apricot.

MARI DOT—Salmon-gold.

McGREDY'S IVORY—Ivory to white.

MRS. G. A. VAN ROSSEM—Orange and apricot.

MRS. E. P. THOM—Canary-yellow.

MRS. PIERRE S. DU PONT—Orange-yellow.

MRS. SAM McGREDY—Coppery-salmon.

SHOT SILK—Orange-rose-yellow.

SOUV. DE MME. C. CHAMBARD—Coral-pink.

TALISMAN—Red-yellow, copper.

SOUTHPORT—Vivid crimson\$2.50

A full description will be found under bush roses of same name.



God gave his children memory
That in Life's garden there might be
June roses in December.

—Rev. G. A. Studdert-Kennedy.

To Our Rose Friends

It has indeed been a real pleasure to meet and correspond with you ardent Rosarians. What a joy it has been to hear of the success you have had with our roses, of the blue ribbons you have won at the flower shows. We hope when rose problems arise, you will not hesitate to bring them to us, for your problems are ours.

We are striving to grow the very best bushes possible and to offer only the most satisfactory varieties. The selections listed here are discussed wherever Rosarians meet.

May we thank you for your patronage and wish you joy and happiness with your roses.



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This year I have some very fine specimens of Weeping Standard Roses. These are most effective when planted in a lawn or at the end of a rose garden.

Weeping Standards are climbing roses budded on strong stems at a height of 5 1/2 feet and trained over an umbrella shaped frame and allowed to droop to the ground.

They are priced at \$5.00 each, bare root. Packing and express charges at cost.

MERMAID—A large single yellow bloom produced in large clusters. Foliage very abundant, glossy and free from mildew. A continuous bloomer.

MINNEHAHA—Double pink, similar to Dorothy Perkins, but very free of mildew. A spring bloomer, an occasional second bloom.

PHYLLIS BIDE—The most popular rose for a Weeping Standard. A small rose similar to Cecile Brunner in size, which blooms in large clusters. A golden yellow tinged with carmine, fading to white edged with bright pink. A continuous bloomer and free of mildew.

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